

Asking Questions: The “What / Why / Where / When / Which / Who & How”

1. Céard?

1. Céard **e** seo?

1. Céar' tá tarlú?

1. Céar' tá tú ag iarra'?

1. Céar' tá a dhéana' ad?

1. Céar' tá ort?

What?

What's this?

What's up?

What do you want

What are you up to?

What's wrong?

Cén fáth?

Cén fáth a bhfuil tú ag gáire?

Cén fáth a mbíonn tú i gcónaí deirneach?

Cén fáth nach mbeidh tú ann?

Cén fáth nach mbeadh?

Why?

Why are you laughing?

Why are you always late?

Why won't you be there?

Why wouldn't it be?

1. Cá bhfuil --> Ca 'il ...

1. Cá 'il tú?

1. Cá 'il tú goil?

1. Cá r **h**uir tú **e**?

1. Cá r **h**arla **se**?

1. Cá r **h**uala tú **e**?

1. Cá r **h**ág tú **e**?

*Cá **b**hfaca tú **e**?

*Cá raibh **se**?

*Cá **n**deacha' **se**?

*Cá **n**dearna tú **e**?

Where?

Where are you?

Where are you going?

Where did you put it?

Where did it happen?

Where did you hear it?

Where did you leave it

Where did you see it/him?

Where was it/he?

Where did it/he go?

Where did you do it ?

* in past tense “Cá” is used instead of “Cár” for

Bí - cá raibh? (to be) Feic - cá bhfaca? (to see) Déan cá ndearna? (to do)

Téigh - cá ndeacha'? (to go) Faigh - cá bhfuair ? (to get)

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1. Cén uair?

Cén uair **cheana** a bhí tú ann?

Cén uair a **théann** sibh **chuig** an trá?

Cén uair a **bhéas** tú arais?

Cén uair a **bhéas** an cúrsa críochnaithe?

Cén uair deireidh a **chonaic** tú **e**?

When?

When was the last time you were there?

When do you go to the beach?

When will you return?

When will the course be finished?

When was the last time you seen it?

Cé acu?

Cé acu ceann is fearr leat?

Cé acu is mó míol mór nó eilifint?

Cé acu a roghnóidh tú?

Cé acu dath is fearr a oireann dhó?

Cé acu is sciopaí giorria nó capall?

Which?

Which one do you prefer

Which is bigger a whale or an elephant?

Which one will you choose?

Which colour best suits it?

Which is faster a hare or a horse?

Cé?

Cé leis an cóta?

Cé aige a bhfuil an freagra?

Cé **thusa**?

Cé hé sin **thall**?

Cé hí an cailín is airde?

Who?

Who owns the coat?

Who has the answer?

Who are you?

Who's that over there?

Who is the tallest girl?

Ce' chaoi?

Ce' **chaoi** bhfuil tú?

Ce' **chaoi** ar **tharla se**?

Ce' **chaoi** a n-airíonn tú?

Ce' **chaoi** a **ndeacha'** tú ann?

Ce' **chaoi** n-oibríonn **se**?

How?

How are you?

How did it happen?

How do you feel?

How did you go there?

How does it work?